By the President and Council in Assembly Nov. 14th 1713

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We have your Message of this Day by Mr Worthington and three more of your Members relating to Arms House and do concur with your Resolves therein

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl. Council

Ingrossed Bill for laying and assessing the publick Levy Indorsed as follows

9^{ber} 14th 1713

Read and assented to by the House of Delegates and Signed p Order Evan Jones D. Cl. Ho. Del.

Sent p M^r Woolford and M^r Scott.

They return and say they delivered the Bill

John Hall Esq from Council brings the following Message

By the President and Council in Assembly

9^{ber} 14th 1713

Whereas the Printer is dead and the Act for Publication of all Laws within this Province requires a fair Transcript of the Laws of every Session to be wrote on Parchment and transmitted by Writ under the Great Seal to the Sheriff of each respective County to be published for which the Keeper of the Great Seal is to be allowed so much Tobacco as the General Assembly in which the said Laws are made shall assess and allow and the transcribing on Parchment being absolutely required there not being sufficient to be had for that Purpose we desire your Advice in the Premises.

Signed p Order W Bladen Cl Council

Upon reading the foregoing Message it's ordered the Answer following be sent

By the House of Delegates 9^{ber} 14th 1713

In Answer to your Message of this Day by John Hall Esq. we desire the Honble President will cause the Laws made this Session of Assembly to be transcribed on good Paper the Parchment which the Country sent for being not yet arrived and what is to be bought in the Country is very dear and scarce not fit for Use

Signed p Order Evan Jones D. Cl. Ho. Del.

Sent p Mr Lloyd and Mr Mariartee.